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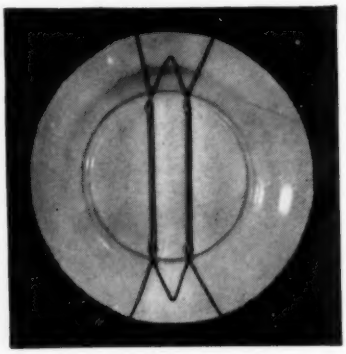

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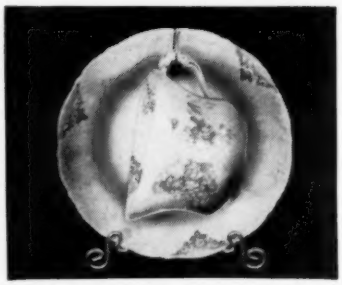

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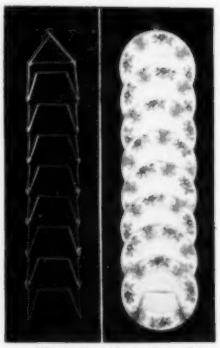

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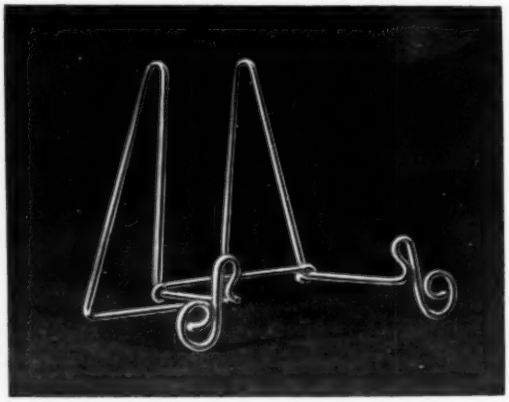

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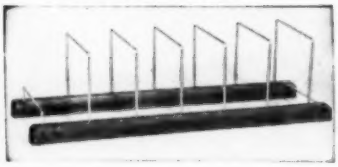

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City Hall
OCTOBER 18-20

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7th Annual Antiques Show & Sale

October 5-6-7

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Mrs. Grant Sheppard, chm.

THE SPINNING WHEEL CALENDAR

Antiques Shows, Major Antiques Auctions, Gallery Sales

(NOTE: Occasionally, through no fault of their own, show managers find it necessary to change dates, or cancel shows completely. If their changes of plans do not reach us before press time, it is impossible to correct, or delete the show listing in question. This does not happen often, but to eliminate needless trips for show visitors, it was felt worthy of mention. Confirm the dates and time of the show you plan to visit by calling ahead, or checking locally.)

Sept. 13-16—Morristown, N. J. Show. National Guard Armory. Dora Seeley, mgr.
Sept. 14-16—Charlotte, N. C. Show. Radio Center Auditorium. The Russells, mgrs.
Sept. 14-16—Greensburg, Pa. Show. Central Hose House. Greensburg Art Club, spn.
Sept. 14-16—Plymouth, Mich. Show. V.F.W. Hall. D.A.R. spn.
Sept. 16-19—Cincinnati, Ohio. Show. Music Hall. Sam Yeagley, mgr.
Sept. 20-23—Grand Rapids, Mich. Show. Civic Auditorium. Slout managed.
Sept. 21-23—Germantown, Pa. Show. Woman's Club. Mrs. A. T. Smith, chm.
Sept. 21-23—Mt. Lebanon, Pa. Show. Woman's Club. Hollycrest Dr.
Sept. 21-23—Pikesville, Md. Show. St. Marks-on-the-Hill.
Sept. 21-23—Pittsburgh, Pa. Show. Woman's Club of Mt. Lebanon, spn.
Sept. 21-24—Elmira, N. Y. Show. Mark Twain Hotel. F. G. Steele, dir.
Sept. 22-24—Syracuse, N. Y. Show. Museum of Fine Arts. Onondaga Co. Dirs., spn.
Sept. 22-24—Worcester, Mass. Show. Tuckerman Hall. R. E. Newmann, mgr.
Sept. 22-25—New Haven, Conn. Show. New Haven Arena. Milton Cottler, dir.
Sept. 23-25—Harvey, Ill. Show. Harvey Memorial Y.M.C.A.
Sept. 23-26—Fort Wayne, Ind. Show. Armory. S. E. Leonardson, mgr.
Sept. 23-26—Ottumwa, Iowa. Show. Coliseum. J. W. Koehn, mgr.
Sept. 24-25—West Richfield, Ohio. Show. Masonic Temple. O.E.S. spn.
Sept. 24-26—Whitewater, Wis. Show. Armory. Wis. Antiques Dirs. Assn., spn.
Sept. 24-26—Youngstown, Ohio. Show. Calvin Ctr. Auditorium. Woodhaven Antiques, mgr.
Sept. 27-Oct. 1—Manchester, Conn. Show. Y.M.C.A. Frank Silvester, mgr.
Sept. 27-Oct. 1—Philadelphia, Pa. Fair. Convention Hall. C. J. & C. B. Nuttall, mgrs.
Sept. 28-30—Ridgewood, N. J. Show. 1st Presbyterian Church.
Sept. 28-Oct. 1—Plainfield, N. J. Show. Monday Afternoon Club.
Sept. 29-Oct. 2—Birmingham, Mich. Piety Hill Com'ty House. D.A.R. spn. Sam Yeagley.
Sept. 29-Oct. 2—San Francisco, Calif. Show. Civic Auditorium. Grace Elliott, mgr.
Sept. 30-Oct. 2—Hardwick, Mass. Show. Town Hall. J. Cutler Paige, mgr.
Sept. 30—Oct. 2—Mercer, Pa. Show. Mercer Moose Home. Woman's Club, spn.
Oct. 2—West Chester, Pa. Chester County Day. Mrs. A. Wm. Ball, Jr., chm.
Oct. 2-4—Huntington, W. Va. Show. Frederick Hotel. Pilot Club, spn.
Oct. 2-5—Springfield, Mo. Show. Shrine Mosque. H. K. Larsen, mgr.
Oct. 3-6—Detroit, Michigan. Show. Masonic Temple. S. E. Leonardson, mgr.
Oct. 4-6—Johnstown, Pa. V.F.W. Home. Jr. Auxiliary Memorial Hospital, spn.
Oct. 4-6—Portland, Me. Show. Eastland Hotel. Me. Antiques Dirs. Assn., spn.
Oct. 4-6—Pottstown, Pa. Show. Sunnybrook Ballroom. Montgomery Co. Ant. Dirs. Assn.
Oct. 4-7—Lancaster, Pa. Show. Moose Temple. Mabel Renner, mgr.
Oct. 5-7—Barrington, R. I. Show. Jr. Woman's Club, spn. E. B. Fisher, chm.
Oct. 5-7—Chillicothe, Ohio. Show. Trinity Church Social Hall. J. V. Doersam, mgr.
Oct. 5-7—Cortland, N. Y. Show. 1st Presbyterian Church. Mrs. R. Lankler, chm.
Oct. 5-7—Middletown, Del. Show. Bethesda Methodist Church. W.S.C. S. spn.
Oct. 5-7—Vancouver, Wash. Show. St. Luke's Episcopal Church. Mrs. G. Sheppard, chm
Oct. 6-8—Drexel Hill, Pa. Show. Broad St. Methodist Church. Mrs. Geo. Browning, mgr.
Oct. 6-8—Mt. Holly, N. J. Show. Nat'l Guard Armory. Mrs. Wilbur Budd, chm.
Oct. 6-8—Pompton Plains, N. J. Show. Legion Hall. Suburban Woman's Club, spn.
Oct. 6-8—Westfield, Mass. Show. Woman's Club Room. R. E. Newman, mgr.
Oct. 9-12—Tulsa, Okla. Show. Cain's Dancing Academy. The Fannings, mgrs.
Oct. 11-14—Tyngsboro, Mass. Show. Town Hall. Ruth Boucher, mgr.
Oct. 11-15—Silver Spring, Md. Show. Armory. Jeannette Traten, mgr.
Oct. 11-16—New York, N. Y. Fair. 71st Inf. Armory. Nuttall & Hazen, mgrs.
Oct. 12-14—Ann Arbor, Mich. Waldo Luick, mgr.
Oct. 12-14—Rutherford, N. J. Show. Grace Episcopal Church. Mrs. H. E. Armstrong, mgr.
Oct. 12-14—Schenectady, N. Y. Show. Stanford Heights Fire Station. M. S. Hinds, mgr.
Oct. 12-15—Framingham, Mass. Show. Nevins Memorial Hall. J. G. Wilson, mgr.
Oct. 14-15—Tarentum, Pa. Show. 1st Presbyterian Church. Womans Club, spn.
Oct. 14-17—Detroit, Mich. Button Show. Sheraton Cadillac Hotel. Nat'l Button Society.
Oct. 15-17—Toledo, Ohio. Show. Woman's Club. Toledo Woman's Club, spn.
Oct. 16-19—Kansas City, Mo. Show. Municipal Auditorium. The Laurence Hills, mgrs.
Oct. 18-20—Norristown, Pa. Show. City Hall. Dora Seeley, mgr.
Oct. 18-21—South Bend, Ind. Show. Indiana Club. Slout managed.
Oct. 19-20—Longmeadow, Mass. Show. Community House. R. E. Newmann, mgr.
Oct. 19-21—Laurel, Del. Show. Centenary Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall.
Oct. 19-21—New Cumberland, Pa. Show. Methodist Church Gym. Women's Society, spn.
Oct. 21-22—Rochester, N. Y. Show. Hotel Sheraton. Arla Richardson, mgr.
Oct. 21-23—Bound Brook, N. J. Show. Presbyterian Church. Woman's Assn., spn.
Oct. 25-28—Wilmette, Ill. Show. Woman's Club. Helen W. Morrison, mgr.
Oct. 25-29—Upper Montclair, N. J. Commonwealth Club. Kathryn C. Heyer, mgr.
Oct. 25-29—West Hartford, Conn. Show. Armory. Frank Silvester, mgr.
Oct. 26-28—Allentown, Pa. Show. Frolics Ballroom. Lehigh Valley Auctioneers Society, spn. Val Hochrein, dir.
Oct. 26-28—Paterson, N. J. Show. Temple Emanuel. Women's American Art, spn.
Oct. 26-29—Cambridge, Mass. Show. Hotel Continental. Snow & Eldred, mgrs.
Oct. 27-29—Greenville, S. C. Show. Textile Annex. The Russells, mgr.
Oct. 28-30—Augusta, Me. Show. Cony High School. Zonta Club, spn.
Oct. 28-30—Lafayette Hill, Pa. Barren Hill Show. Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, mgr.
Oct. 31-Nov. 3—Indianapolis, Ind. Show. Murat Shrine Temple. E. P. Bauer, mgr.
Nov. 1-5—St. Louis, Mo. Show. Hotel Kingsway. R. E. Jester, mgr.
Nov. 2-4—Reading, Pa. Show, Skateland. Fairgrounds. Ant. Dirs. Assn. Berks Co., spn. R. L. Heist, chm.
Nov. 2-5—Boston, Mass. Show. Sheraton Plaza Hotel. Dorothy Hazen, mgr.
Nov. 2-5—Richmond, Va. Show. Mosque Ballroom. Va. C of C & Va. Ant. Dirs. Assn.
Nov. 3-5—Salisbury, N. C. Show. Armory. Rowan Museum Inc., spn.
Nov. 4-6—Oxford, Pa. Show. Research Club.
Nov. 6-8—Louisville, Ky. Show. Kentucky Hotel. E. P. Bauer, mgr.
Nov. 6-9—Flint, Mich. Show. Masonic Temple. Slout managed.
Nov. 7-9—Pittsburgh, Pa. Show. Penn Lincoln Hotel. Wilkinsburg. Antiques Dirs. Assn. of Pittsburgh, spn.
Nov. 8-12—Springfield, Mass. Show. Bishop O'Leary Aud. J. G. Wilson, mgr.
Nov. 9-11—Clifton, N. J. Show. Skateland. Fairgrounds. Ant. Dirs. Assn. Berks Co., spn.
Nov. 9-11—Piqua, Ohio. Show. Greene Street Methodist Church. W.S.C.S. spn.
Nov. 9-11—San Leandro, Calif. Show. Alta Mira Club, spn.
Nov. 9-11—West Chester, Pa. Show. New Century Clubhouse.
Nov. 10-12—Haddonfield, N. J. Show. Fortnightly Clubhouse. Mmes. Baxter & Finley, mgrs.
Nov. 10-12—Manchester, N. H. Show. Carpenter Hotel. Gertrude Yorke, mgr.
Nov. 11-14—Alexandria, Va. Show. Recreation Ctr. D.A.R. spn. Paul Ettline, mgr.
Nov. 15-20—White Plains, N. Y. Fair. West Chester Co. Center. Nuttalls, mgrs.
Nov. 16-18—Frankford, Phila. Pa. Show. American Legion Hall. H. S. Mothers Assn, spn.
Nov. 17-19—Fayetteville, N. C. Show. Armory. The Russells, mgrs.
Nov. 18-20—So. Amboy, N. J. Show. Christ Episcopal Church. Marion Thomas, chm.
Nov. 29-Dec. 2—Baltimore, Md. Show. 5th Regt. Armory. Foundation for Mentally Retarded & Handicapped Children, spn. J. Gresham Wilson, mgr.
Nov. 29-Dec. 2—Hershey, Pa. Show. Mabel I. Renner, mgr.
Dec. 5-7—Buckingham, Pa. Show. Christine P. Horn, mgr.
Jan. 9-14—Hyattsville, Md. Show. Armory. Jeannette Traten, mgr.
Jan. 20-23—Terre Haute, Ind. Show. Terre Haute House. Slout managed.
Feb. 1-4—Ft. Worth, Texas. Show. Slout managed.

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MEMO FROM: *Marcia*

BUTTON CONVENTION: "If you would like to Button more, come to Detroit in October '54" is the slogan for the annual meeting of the National Button Society to be held this year at the Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel in Detroit, October 14-17. The picture shows a section of the Michigan State Button Society meeting at the Olds Hotel in Lansing in May . . . multiply the interest, the enthusiasm, the serious business—and the fun of each state meeting by forty-eight—and what button collector will want to miss the National meeting in Detroit!

HOUSE TO BE SAVED: More and more communities are recognizing the value of preserving old landmarks, particularly the homes of early settlers, and the necessity of attempting such restoration before neglect has made revitalization impossible. Local historical societies have done much to call back old houses from obscurity, and have taken a civic pride in such restorations. Such a project, while too big for most individuals to handle alone, is usually sparked by the enthusiasm of one man. Whatever will come of the attempt being made by Mr. Edward Jameson of Suisun, California, to interest local groups in restoring the Juan Felipe-Demetrio Pena adobe, near Vacaville in the upper Laguna Valley, we cannot forsee, but we feel his efforts will be of interest to all concerned with How America Lived. The house, built sometime between 1843 and 1857, stands on land patented to Juan M. Vaca and Juan F. Pena in 1854, though permission to occupy the land was given them by General Vallejo in 1842. According to John R. Wolfskill, owner of a neighboring land grant, testifying in 1854, Pena arrived, from New Mexico, in 1842 with his wife and six children and Vaca with his wife and seven children, implying that a house (or houses) was built that year. Nothing has been found to indicate that the present adobe is not of that year. Typical of the early ranchos, it is about 42 by 18 feet, one and a half stories, with the old outside stairway on the south end. The walls are about 24 inches thick, made of brick 22 by 11 by 3 inches, and well protected by a frame structure covering the whole house. Outwardly the present house is much the same as shown by pictures taken in the late '80's. It would seem Mr. Jameson's project would be one worthy of Californians interested in preserving a long-gone way of life, with particular appeal to visitors in the section who want to know more of California's romantic history. We hope he succeeds in rousing the necessary interest. Almost every study club, garden club, woman's club, or civic organization, as well as historical society can find equally rewarding projects in any community, and by working separately, or together, preserve for coming generations a tangible picture of the past.

MORE ABOUT FANS: In reply to the many comments on *Fans . . . through the Centuries* by Rachel Tilton (July '54) and the expressed desire for more information on the subject, Mrs. Tilton has supplied us with the following bibliography used in her article, which should in itself delight all fan researchers as well as suggest byways for their own research: From Harper's Weekly, *One Hundred Years of Fans*, 1857; Gentleman's Magazine, 1753; Strickland's *Queens of England*, 5 volumes (a happy winter's stint of reading!); *Outline of Knowledge*, James Richards; *Antique Jewelry*, Burgess; *Jewelry*, Smith; as well as Demorest, Peterson, Graham and Godey Magazines of the 19th century. Mrs. Tilton also mentions that the "armorial fans" referred to in her article as Oriental imports, were fans shipped from America to be decorated in the Orient. Spinning Wheel readers from Vineyard Haven, she tells us, were especially pleased with her article, as many of them are familiar with the fans pictured from her collection . . . and there was a lot of congratulatory phoning the day the magazine arrived!

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Above. A group of collectors enjoying the Michigan State Button Society Meeting at the Olds Hotel in Lansing, Michigan.

Left, The Juan-Felipe - Demetrio - Pena adobe on Rte. 40 between Sacramento and San Francisco near Vacaville, Calif., believed to have been built in 1842 and now in want of restoration.

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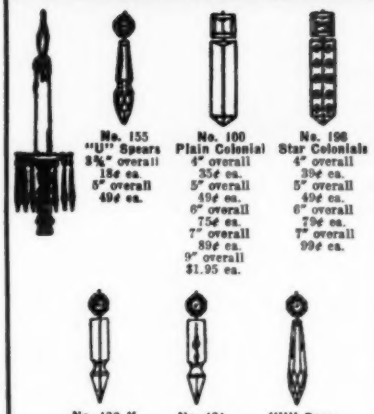

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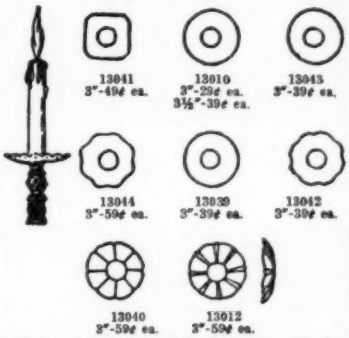

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Spinning Wheel's second window featured Blue Onion Meissen, much of which was purchased through Spinning Wheel's columns. Goblets are Brilliant pattern in flint; epergne is Irish cut glass with brass standard and matching candlesticks. From the collection of Mrs. George Harner. Items in foreground show slippers, perfume bottles, Copper Lustre, etc., all written about at some time in Spinning Wheel.

If your community is planning any sort of historical celebration, you'll be interested in . . .

Taneytown's Bicentennial *Window Displays*

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WHEN a town the size of Taneytown, with less than 2,000 population, plans a Bi-Centennial pageant with a third of its population in the cast, to run for four nights, something important must be done in the way of advance publicity, for the audience, if there is to be one, must be recruited from outside the community. The Planning Committee for the Taneytown Bi-Centennial, July 25-31, 1954, took into account the value of newspaper, radio and television coverage—but the window displays, suggested almost as an afterthought, proved the surprise publicity hit of the celebration, and brought hundreds of visitors to town.

[*Please turn the page*]

Bottom, left: The Midtown Electric Appliance Company showed a comfortable row of Slagenhaupt rocking chairs, made in Taneytown during the last century. The majority are in maple, the seats woven from thin strips of oak split with a pen knife. Old timers recall watching John Slagenhaupt perform this tedious operation. Straight chairs, he made as well as rockers, all with the same delicate turning and graceful proportioning.

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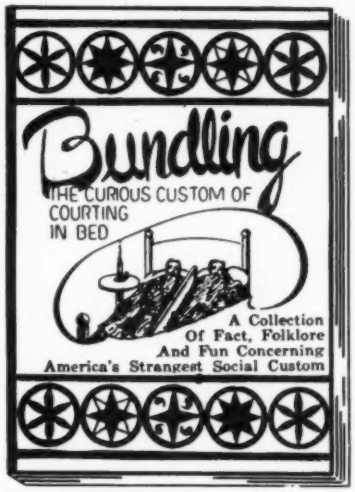

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Taneytown's Bicentennial Window Displays

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About two weeks before the celebration, Mr. R. M. Polley, manager of the Ben Franklin store, set up his windows with antique pieces from his own collections and those of his staff. He was leaving on vacation and wanted his windows ready when he left. The response to this first display was tremendous. Almost immediately, well before the celebration week for which the displays had been originally planned, every downtown window—store, office or home (so many Maryland houses are built square on the street) was dressed for the occasion. Some displays concentrated on antiques of local history—the door George Washington passed through, the cradle that had rocked Francis Scott Key, the Slagenhaupt chairs (1821-1890) and Eli Bentley (1780-1800's) clocks made in town. Some, like the banks, pharmacy and appliance stores, showed the antiques of their own respective businesses. Others used a miscellany of *everyone's* treasured pieces. Under the supervision of a chairman, Mrs. John Smith, each piece was carefully identified and labelled. Word of the "Wonderful Windows" spread like wildfire. From miles around people flocked to see and stand entranced. Passing tourists stopped to look—and returned for the festivities.

As advance publicity, the display windows were "tops," but even more, they served to rouse a tremendous personal interest among the townspeople and a greater appreciation and understanding of the antiques to be found in their own homes.

Right, top: One window of the Taneytown Pharmacy showed this old time kitchen with the sadirons resting on the ten plate stove, and linens newly ironed on the ledge and dry sink door. A tole lunch box with its red fringed napkin; a cart; and doll at tiny tin dressing table bespeak the children in the family. The old earthern water jar on stool is believed a local product.—Arranged by Mrs. George Harner from her own collection.

Right, center: The fine collection of antique firearms, powderhorns, arrowheads and accoutrements of the chase, in the Reindollar Hardware Company, attracted lots of masculine attention.—From the collection of Paul and Thomas Robertson.

Right, bottom: The Ben Franklin windows, the first arranged, show miscellaneous antiques from various collections. The models of the early furniture in foreground were made by Mr. Polley's father of pieces he owned. Boot and guns are Civil War relics. Bible, music box, and red and white towels show up well. Satin Glass pieces in foreground were beautiful in color.

The Jolly Old Tavern Keeper

. . . informs his freinds and ye publicke of interestinge thynges, espetially primitives

". . . dispyte her ruff harde life in ye colonie, Faith alwayes lovd pretties for her cabyn."

Hand-loomed towel, 22x36", heavy design, good $2.50
Hand-loomed linen pillow case, 22x12½" $1.50
Strange knitted love token, Mexican or Spanish $3.00
Old Xmas tree ornaments, boot, derby, etc., 4 for $3.50
Fancy china under glass curtain tie-backs, pr. ..$7.50
Red Riding Hood clear glass tiny child's mug ...$4.00
Custard Glass candy dish, draped, tasseled, 6" ..$3.50

". . . perhap ye graytest need was ferniture, so they sente and a makre cayme by shipe."

Bedside table, old, with drawer, refinished $25.00
Useful 35" semi-circular table in rough $7.50
Early quite plain bed, 46" wide, good headboard $22.50
Cleat-end table, 37", tapered legs, refinished ..$35.00
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Ice cream mold, in sections, like napkin ring ...$2.50

". . . litle Kate's big broun eys roamed ovre ye table, foe menie thynges wer newe to her."

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Goblet-shaped container of brass, embossed ...$3.00
Early coin silver teaspoon by Savage, head-lion $3.50
Primitive trivet of strap iron, wood handle $9.00
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To designate this a "Twice Told Tale" is to understate. It has, probably, been told a hundred times. We tell it again because so many people seem to have forgotten, or mislaid, the data, and still are puzzled by these marks which tell maker, class of product, and month and year of production, in Britain.

One important factor must be remembered. *If the maker did not identify himself* with his own mark, but used *only* the registry mark, then to get the maker's name it is necessary to write The Patent Office of Great Britain, London, England. You must send an accurate drawing of the mark, plus 25¢ fee.

THE first British Registry Mark (example pictured at right above) was used from 1842 to the beginning of 1868. In the circle at the top appears a Roman Numeral. This is the product classification. I designates metal; II designates wood; III designates glassware; IV designates ceramic ware. In the segment of the diamond immediately under the circle appears a letter which indicates *the year* of production. The segment at the bottom indicates the LOT, *by number,* and this is the only clue to the maker if he did not otherwise mark the product. The left segment contains a letter which indicates *the month* of production. The right segment contains a figure indicating *the day* of the month of production. The centre segment, of course, with its Rd, is the official registry insignia.

In 1868 a new Registry Mark was used and continued to 1883. In this the symbols were changed to some extent and the positions changed. All these following data apply to the second style mark (1868-1883), shown at the left above. The Roman Numeral at the top means the same as in the first mark. Segment under circle carries the day of the month. In the segment at bottom is a letter indicating the month, the same letters meaning the same months as in the first registry mark. In the segment at left is the manufacturer's Lot Number. In segment at right, the letter indicates the year.

This data has been obtained direct from the British Patent Office in the form of official copies of the actual register of marks. We were informed that such copies may not be published in full, as facsimiles; however, anyone desiring to obtain such copies of either the first or second official registry mark records can procure them from the British Patent Office for a fee. We paid 25c (one shilling) each for photostat copies and presume that fee is still in effect.

It should be obvious, from our drawings, which are enlarged, that the difference between the first and the second registry marks can be established at a glance: If there is a *letter* under the circle at top it is a mark of the first series. If a figure (1 to 31) is under the circle, it is of the second series.

Month of Manufacture Table

A designates December
B designates October
C designates January
D designates September
E designates May
G designates February
H designates April
I designates July
K designates November
M designates June
R designates August
W designates March

In connection with the above Month designations, thes errors were made: from Septmber 1 to 19, 1857, R was used instead of the proper D. During the month of December 1860, the letter K was used instead of the proper A.

Year of Manufacture Table

First Registry Mark (1842-1868)			Second Registry Mark (1868-1883)		
A	indicates the year	1845	A	indicates the year	1871
B	indicates the year	1858	C	indicates the year	1870
C	indicates the year	1844	D or W	indicates the year	1878
D	indicates the year	1852	E	indicates the year	1881
E	indicates the year	1855	F	indicates the year	1873
F	indicates the year	1847	H	indicates the year	1869
G	indicates the year	1863	I	indicates the year	1872
H	indicates the year	1843	J	indicates the year	1880
I	indicates the year	1846	K	indicates the year	1883
J	indicates the year	1854	L	indicates the year	1882
K	indicates the year	1857	P	indicates the year	1877
L	indicates the year	1856	S	indicates the year	1875
M	indicates the year	1859	U	indicates the year	1874
N	indicates the year	1864	V	indicates the year	1876
O	indicates the year	1862	X	indicates the year	1868
P	indicates the year	1851	Y	indicates the year	1879
Q	indicates the year	1866			
R	indicates the year	1861			
S	indicates the year	1849			
T	indicates the year	1867			
U	indicates the year	1848			
V	indicates the year	1850			
W	indicates the year	1865			
X	indicates the year	1842			
Y	indicates the year	1853			
Z	indicates the year	1860			

In the year 1878 an error crept into the official sanctum and the letter W was used as a year mark from March 1 to 6. The error was caught and the mark changed to the correct D. Since there was no W designation during the term of use of the second registry mark, either the D or the W mark can be designated as the year 1878.

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LAMPS: Sweetheart (with beaded hearts) large green $10; small green font, clear base $7.50; green base, clear font $7.50; pair apple green Aladdin, with drape patterned font $15; pair Milk Glass Aladdin with drape pattern font $15; emerald green Aladdin with drape pattern font $7.50; clear Aladdin, same pattern $5; 1000 Eye lamp, 1 base chip, high standard $12.50.

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REGAL: *Kamm 6, pl. 35*: cute low basket $2.50; open sugar, 2 handles $2.50; 4 goblets $10.

SAUCES: 3 Candlewick $6; 2 Sawtooth & Star, 1 point smoothed $3.50; 4 Tremont, footed $6; 5 Shrine, slight rim roughness $6; Liberty Bell $2.50; footed Swan $3.50; 3 Star of Bethlehem $3.50; 3 footed Star in Honeycomb, 1 chip $5; 1 flat Star in Honeycomb $2; 5 Hidalgo, 1 chip $6.50; Buckle with Star $2; Diamond Point $2.25; footed Bearded Man, 1 foot chip $1.75; Paneled Diamond Point, Lee pl. 104, 3, $4.50; Horn of Plenty, slight edge roughness, 2, $4.50; Finecut $1.75.

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Center, a brass binnacle head from old naval ship converted to coal bin for use at fireside. The sliding doors are shown open. Pictured courtesy of Edwin Jackson, Inc., New York, one of the oldest fireplace equipment dealers in America. On either side are pictured brass "helmet" shape coal hods, varying only in the handles.

Coal Hods

Still procurable at very modest prices they offer, in their own way, opportunity for the experienced decorator to expand, beyond trays, into the creation of an item for fireside, or other decoration.

By Dwight W. Carlisle

TRULY, variety spices collecting even more delectably than it spices the life that knows no collecting. Where else, excepting in collecting, can one find such infinite variety of possible pursuits, with suggestions coming from almost nowhere and burgeoning into pointed usefulness? Coal Hod! This is the proper name for what, in later years, was called a coal bucket. We must consider the history of coal use in America before we can appreciate the why, when, where, and what of coal hod use. Coal was not a necessary fuel so long as even our cities were supplied with cheap cord wood and kindling from nearby stands of timber. When the land was denuded of trees and made readily arable, then wood prices rose and even Benjamin Franklin was concerned with the *"economy"* of creating more heat with less fuel. He invented the Pennsylvanian stove which we now call the Franklin. Not until Pennsylvania Anthracite was mined and barged down the Schuylkill river did that fuel become available for use and, then, a special basket grate was needed in which to house the fire. It was that kind of a fire, plus any semi-open coal stove, and enclosed "range" that required a hod of coal nearby to refuel it.

Sea coals were mined in America before anthracite was found. Sea coal is a term the true meaning of which is masked by the term itself. It doesn't designate coal found in the sea, but *mined coals, shipped by sea.* Newcastle was the seaport for the shipment of coals to London where almost every house and cottage was heated by hob or basket grate fires—and each fire flanked with a coal hod. It was Timothy Dexter of Newburyport, Massachusetts who sent a load of coal across the Atlantic to Newcastle and sold it at a profit because there was a stoppage of mining there. Old Timothy had heard the line "as silly as carrying coals to Newcastle" and just tried it. Our own rise in firewood prices, caused not only by a general drop in timber cutting but also by the diversion of good timber to saw mills, for building lumber, encouraged the use of coal. And so, by 1840, the coal hod was in almost every home because there were coal fires. Then coal became freight number one of the railroads. At three dollars a ton it was less costly and better fuel than wood.

Now we can look at coal hods in terms of patterns and the metals from which they were made. Staved wood hods (with sheet iron liners), sheet iron hods, japanned and decorated; copper hods, brass hods, polished steel hods, gunmetal hods, Sheffield plate hods, bronze and bell metal hods! Helmet form hods, capped hods, funnelled hods. Even small coal bins, rejoicing in the name of coal vase. The latter, properly, are not hods for the

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Coal Hods

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liner, of sheet metal, was simply a storage bin for several hundred pounds of coal. Regional differences in mined coals in the 1840s indicate that some hods were filled with anthracite, some with bituminous, some with cannel coal and some with Virginia hard, or steam coal. There is also a globular brass object with sliding doors now used as a coal vase which never was intended for such use when made. These are old binnacle tops, of brass, from ships-of-the-line and housed the compass on the quarter-deck. Usage of these as coal vases stems from a resourceful fireplace specialist buying scores of them as navy surplus and converting to the present use. He was indeed a wise man for his conversions are old, delightfully decorative, and perfect for the purpose.

Coal hods were often japanned and painted with as much freedom as trays and tea caddies, coffee bins and such. The technique was strictly that of the professional decorator, with gold leaf, bronzing, colors, and striping. Scenic hods, displaying ships, locomotives, fire-engines, et cetera may be assumed to be commercial office hods of considerable importance. Here are pictured examples of hods as made and sold in the United States from 1850 to 1876 and later. These are still procurable at very modest prices and offer,

The plain or common varieties, the top example being most common, the center one (Called Lady's Favorite!) being next and the funnel fronted next in generality of use. Made in brass, copper, japanned tole (sheet iron) and galvanized sheet iron.

Japanned and decorated coal hods in two styles, the upper being the type and form generally found with fanciest decoration and pictures.

in their own way, opportunity for the experienced decorator to expand, beyond trays into the creation of an item of fireside decoration.

This simple suggestion should find favor with thousands of members of the Frazer Guild who, in the main, seek opportunity for the exercise of their talents! Decoration, by the way, should not be *all over* but confined to spots on the hods such as funnel tops, bail end tops, or with cartouches at the sides of the hods. Let the rest be a solid color, relieved only by striping, and let your solid colors be black, or dark blue, or dark green. Do not be delicate in your approach. Coal hods were strictly utilitarian objects. But what fun painting (and painting well) appropriate scenes; early locomotives, canal boats, steam boats, fire engines, threshing machines, coal breakers, oil wells, firehouse exteriors, or views of factories, shops, and other structures! Violets, tulips and forget-me-nots? No!

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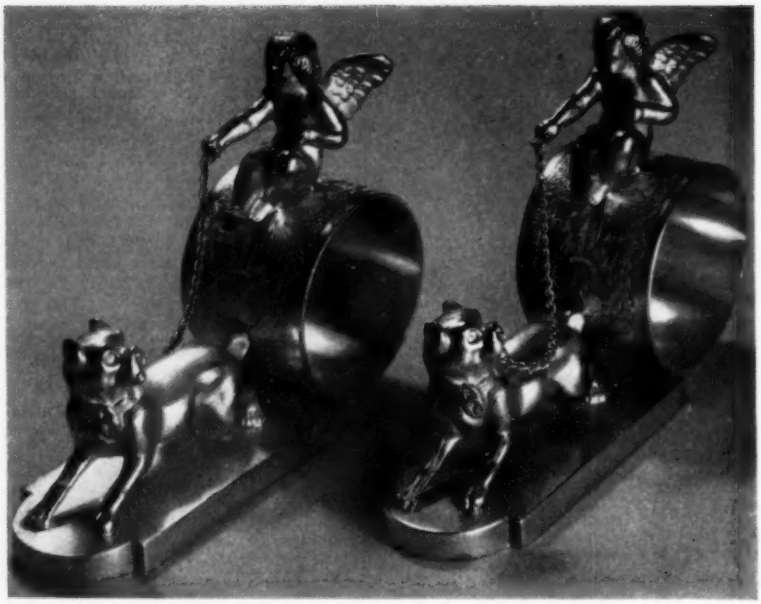

A choice pair of rings showing cupids seated on the rings and holding chains fastened to the dogs' collars. The mark stamped on the bottom of each ring is "James W. Tufts, Boston (under which is a T encircled within a four pointed star) Warranted Quadruple Plate 1543." The number 45 is also scratched in with some sharp pointed tool. One ring has a faint number 14, the other a number which appears to be 10. Photo by Mrs. David E. Jensen.

Ring Around the Napkin

By David E. Jensen

IN Victorian times, long before the "throw away" type of paper napkins were invented, it was common practice for each member of the family to have his or her own cloth napkin for each meal. When not in use, this napkin was neatly rolled and placed in a silver napkin ring and set beside the proper place at the table.

The majority of these rings were plain bands of plated silver, sometimes with a decorative design and usually bearing the owner's initials, or name, engraved on the ring. The writer well remembers this kind in use on his mother's table and those of friends and relatives some 40 years ago.

Far more elaborate, and much more interesting were the napkin rings that supported small cast or molded figures of birds, animals, fruits and even people. And what fascinating collectors' items these ornate rings make today. There seems to be no end to the variety that can be found.

Fancy napkin ring as shown in the 1882 catalogue of the Sheffield Cutlery Concern, Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Elizabeth Minich of Rochester, N. Y. has one of the largest collections of ornamented napkin rings in western New York. Her interest started when she inherited an elegant peacock model from her husband's grandmother. Since then her search for new additions to her collection has taken her into many states and Canada until she now has 132 different types.

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Many of the rings were made by Reed and Barton, the well known silver plate company. Of special local interest are eight rings that were made by the Van Bergh Silver Plating Co. of Rochester, N. Y.

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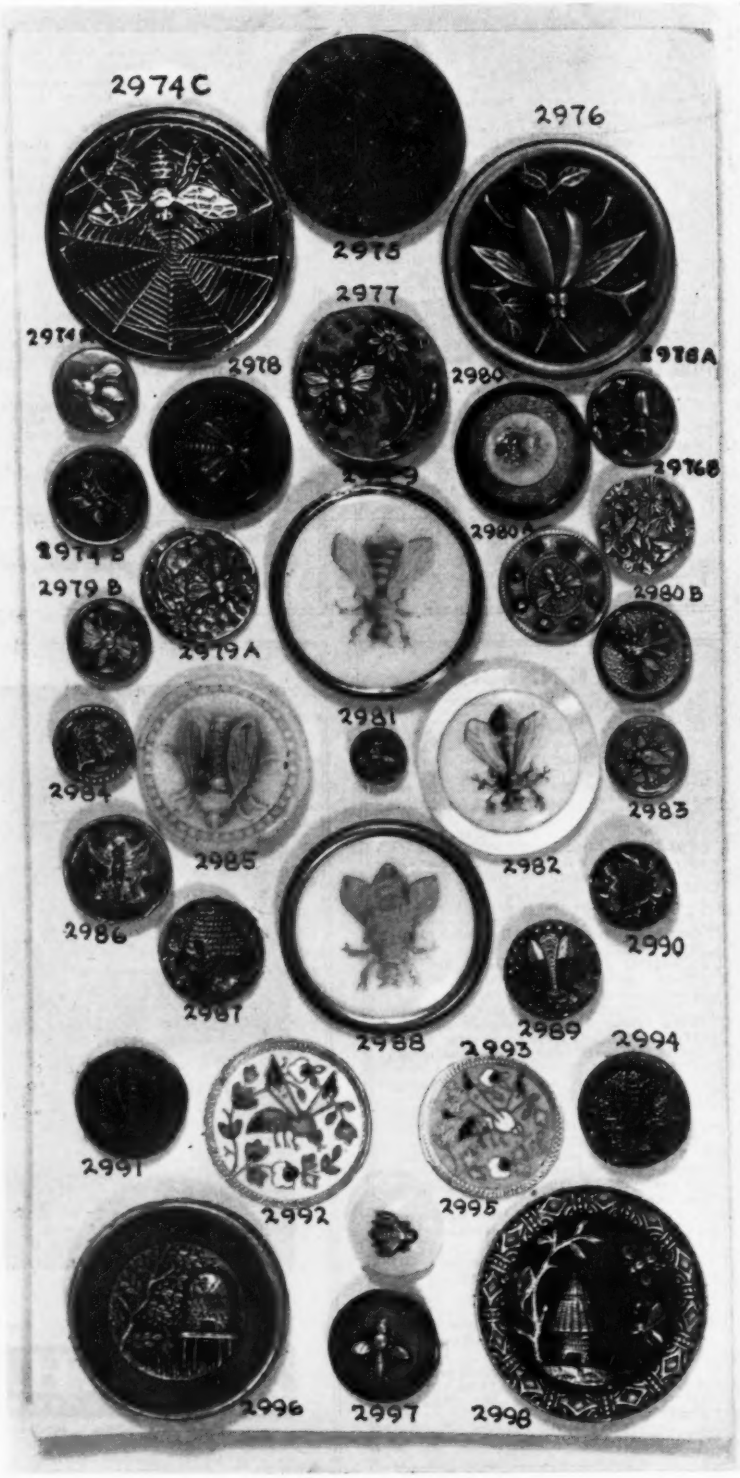

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By Florence Zacharie Ellis Nicholls

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2974c, fly in spider web, pressed tin, probably not very old ($2.00).

2974a, bee, pressed brass "Jacksonian" ($3.50).

2974b, bee on branch on woven straw background, brass collet (75¢).

2975, three bees, black pressed horn "pick" button, scalloped border on surface ($10.00).

2976, beetle, two-piece pressed brass, brass collet ($2.00).

2976a, beetle, commonly called "pinch bug," in brass cup with spray of flowers and three steels (50¢).

2976b, bees, two among flowers and leaves, self-shank, two-piece pressed brass marked "Bvte S.D.D.G. A P & Cie Paris" which translated means that it is registered but that the French government does not guarantee the validity of the patent.

2977, bee on mottled one-piece brass, partly surrounded by a spray with eight-petaled flower (50¢).

2978, mosquito, silvered on brown velvet, set in mottled brown and yellow rim ($2.50).

2979, bee, pale green, black barred body, beautifully and realistically portrayed transfer on porcelain, narrow, slightly rounded brass setting, gilded back ($35.00).

2979a, bee, small, pressed on heavily mottled brass, spray and flower (25¢).

2979b, bee in brass cup (25¢).

2980, bee, gold painted, raised white glass set in gold, in turn set in brass, rim painted black ($7.50).

2980a, bee, one-piece thin pressed brass; eight steels mounted in circle (75¢).

2980b, mosquito, quite rare, very well formed brass on mottled silver background in cut steel bordered cup, 3 steel inset ($1.50).

2981, bee, gilt, very small, well formed, set on gold loop design on green glass, self-shank ($1.00).

2982, bee, black and white Liverpool transfer on porcelain, mounted on mother of pearl; these centers are usually of mythological or seasonal heads. A friend has told me of playing with such buttons in her grandmother's button box almost 70 years ago ($20.00).

2983, beetle, cut-out brass, pebbled background (25¢).

2984, fly and flowers of brass, cut-out and mounted on tin background, beaded rim (25¢).

2985, fly, large blue wings, silver body on thick milk glass, recessed border of raised dots, plain back, rare ($15.00).

2986, bat, wings extended, black glass cup ($2.50).

2987, beehive ($3.00).

2988, bee, porcelain, beautiful large painted transfer, red barred body and feelers, red wings overlaid with gold; rounded brass rim, gilt back; this button of Napoleon's emblem, the bee, is very rare. They were made in France and sent to Louisiana when Napoleon was expected there on his planned escape from St. Helena. A house on Chartres Street was built for him by the people of New Orleans and there were great expectations of welcoming their hero and having him actually living in their midst but the bees were destined never to grace a costume for Napoleonic festivities ($35.00).

2989, fly, silver luster, gold body, border of dots ($3.50).

2990, fly, plain black glass, gold intaglio fly, self-shank ($2.00).

2991, bee, glazed wings, crepe body and background ($2.50).

2992, bee, enameled, tipped-green body, dark blue tipped-blue wings in green flowering vine on cream background ($11.00).

2993, bee, enameled, yellow and red body, dark blue tipped-blue wings, gold and green vine and flowers on gray-blue background ($10.00).

2994, fly, black, mottled background, shiny dark border, self-shank ($2.00).

2995, bee, well shaped whole bee on half round clam broth swirled-back glass button ($2.00).

2996, beehive under tree, pressed brass center mounted on tin, tin collet ($6.00).

2997, bee, silvered, on green faceted glass set "a jour" in brass rim; this setting was supposed to be jade but very disappointingly turned out to be a very lovely shade of green glass, stud ($3.50).

2998, beehive under tree branch, two bees flying, cut-out brass on tin background, ornate round brass collet ($3.50).

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Display of the Eisele collection indicates the variety of items available to the collector of pharmaceutical antiques.

Pharmaceutical Antiques

By Mary D. Hudgins

If some dozen years ago a fortune teller had told Garnett Eisele, Hot Springs, Arkansas, drug store proprietor, that soon an interesting hobby would add not only to his joy in living but to his success in an already flourishing business — he would have laughed. But the fortune teller would have been right nevertheless.

It happened quite by chance. Away on a visit, Mrs. Eisele took an afternoon off to browse for antiques. In a little second hand store she unearthed what looked like a solid brass mortar and pestle. On impluse she bought them and lugged them home for her husband.

That did it! Almost perfunctorily he started investigating. Search proved that the bowl for holding, and the knobbed rod for crushing and blending drugs were of a sort which might well mark them 18th century England. He took to polishing them until they glowed; and brought them out when friends called.

He became an ardent collector. Conventions, usually held in the larger cities, offered ideal opportunities for searching for pharmaciana. Vacation times have been scheduled and routed to take advantage of antique shows. Other men may dream of visiting Greenfield Village and Williamsburg. But Garnett Eisele thinks in terms of Bringhurst Apothecary Shop at Mystic, Connecticut, the Colonial Apothecary Shop at Yale Medical Library, and other such noted collections where he may learn more about his chosen hobby.

A mortar and pestle started it. But soon he looked for apothecary jars too. Inevitably other paraphernalia of the science of drug compounding drifted into the collection — a pill cutter, for instance, and a cork reducer. He has even included display globes (originally pharmacists' percolators — but later filled with bright liquids and used as eye catchers). Actually the display globe was as much the hallmark of the Victorian drug store as was the wooden Indian that of the cigar store; or the striped pole, of the barber shop. [*Please turn the page*]

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Pharmaceutical Antiques

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Mortar and pestle twosomes in the Eisele collection are of brass, time pitted iron, ordinary hard wood and burl. They come from several centuries and as many continents. In size they range from one to cradle comfortably in the palm of the hand; to one of churn-like proportions. The larger ones are for smashing leaves, bark and roots; the smaller to triturate (pulverize).

Apothecary jars are even more varied. Many are French, including beautifully hand decorated Limoges. Some came from 17th century Italy. A Bristol jar is particularly attractive. Some of the older specimens from Mexico are among the finest in the collection.

From the first he was amazed that so little is generally known about his hobby, especially since the preservation of medicaments was widely practiced as early as 2250 B. C. At that time traffic in such was heavy between Egypt and Babylon.

A well known Greek botanist wrote a history of plants c. 300 years B. C. In it he gave directions to herb gatherers concerning the type of containers best fitted to hold them. In the first century A. D. the most noted pharmacologist throughout the ancient world, Dioscorides (a physician to Nero's army) wrote even more precise instructions as to specifications for vessels capable of preserving drugs at their full potency.

The Romans aped the Greeks in their pharmaceuticals and in the selection and making of containers therefor. Apothecary shops dotted the Sacra Via. A famous pottery was operated almost in the shadow of the Forum.

But in spite of undeniable beauty of materials and workmanship of some of the specimens from the pre-Christian era, it was not until the middle ages that the making of apothecary jars came to be elevated to an art. The Arabs had learned to make high grade ceramics after the Persian fashions. They, in turn, took their vessels and their art of craftsmanship westward when they conquered the Mediterranean world.

Early wooden mortar and pestle sets.

Seville, Granada, Cordova became centers of science and art. Their pharmacies were as much centers of culture as were the coffee houses of Shakespeare's England. The finest artists were proud to paint murals for them. Often they decorated the jars and bottles fashioned by the best potters.

Such came to be the case all over Europe. A biography of Dante tells that the poet, while reading in an apothecary shop of Siena, became so engrossed in a book that he was oblivious to the passing of a noisy procession.

It was during the Renaissance that jars began to be created to hold specific substances. The Latin names of the products to be held were fired into the jars themselves. Sometimes pic-

Mortars and pestles of burnished brass represent hundreds of years of crushing and blending of drugs.

tures of leaves or petals to be placed inside were painted on their containers. This was for the convenience of any illiterate helper who might be called on to handle jars.

Potters also began to shape their jars with an eye to ease of handling on crowded shelves. Either the top or the bottom of the vessel was made extra wide. Somewhere along its side a jar was generally "waisted" (made a bit more narrow). This insured that, no matter how closely they were ranged on shelves; there was space between them for thumb and forefinger grip. Thus none had to be rearranged in removing any other from the shelves.

Governor Winthrop, first governor of the Massachusetts colony, concerned himself with the promotion of medicine and pharmacy. The first export cargo to leave New England is said to have carried bark and pith of sassafras. It would be interesting to speculate what sort of jars or boxes our founding fathers devised to house these medicines on their journey toward the old world.

Benjamin Franklin, who opened a store in Philadelphia in the early 18th century, sold, among other things, "patent medicines, seneca and rattlesnake root, with directions for their use in pleurisy." The first prescription druggist to operate in the colonies was a friend of George Washington. He got his first job from Franklin.

So it is obvious that pharmacy with its necessary equipment has been a vital part of every civilization almost from its beginning. Much of the story of its development as told in jars and mortars has been lost. But much remains. Many of the most highly prized examples are housed in museums throughout the world. Fabulously valuable private collections exist. But sheer volume of potential collectibles works to the advantage of the average collector. Or at least so thinks Garnett Eisele. Next week, next year, who knows what he may find?

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Doulton Art Pottery at Chicago, 1893

By Charles Dexter

DOULTON-LAMBETH appears on so much brown and yellow utilitarian pottery that few of us think of Doulton as potters of art wares. In 1877 Doulton's acquired the Pinder Bourne potteries, Burslem, and, by 1880 had solved the problem of making bone china of the finest kind. A large staff of artists was employed and a program of making art pottery was launched. This is marked Doulton, Burslem, not Doulton, Lambeth. Upon being invited to exhibit at the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1892, Doulton accepted and sent to America a representative exhibit of their fine art pottery. This ware, while not antique, entered the country before it was necessary to put the country of origin mark on imports. You see, the exhibitors, many of them, shipped goods here in 1891 for the proposed 1892 exhibition which didn't open until 1893! As a matter of record, the accompanying drawings, made by Doulton's own artists, are used to display a portion of the type and kind of luxurious art ware Doulton showed at Chicago. We suspect a considerable number of pieces were sold to certain of the well-to-do folk of the Chicago area during the fair and that, in many cases, these survive. This will aid in identification of the art ware, and explain how it got to our own mid-west region.

See short story of the Flower Girl pieces, manufactured by Doulton from 1888-1894, from original designs by Walter Crane. Page 33 this issue.

Left, the Dante Vase and right, The Love Vase. Both by Doulton, Burslem. Also the Doulton "Crown" mark on these wares.

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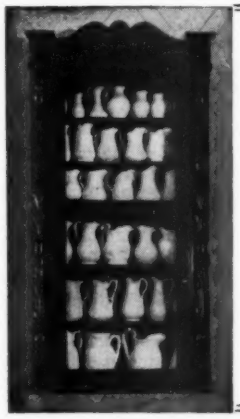

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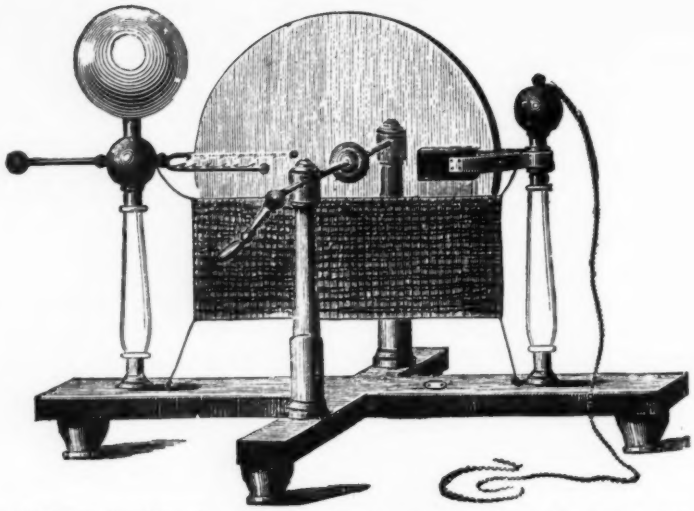


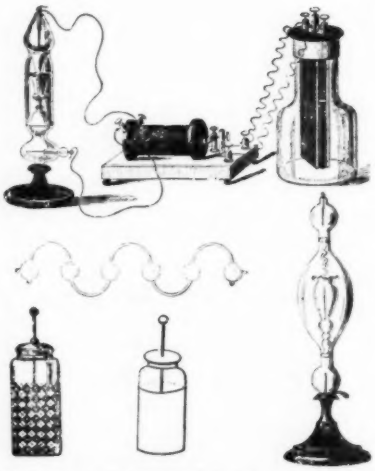
Miniature "cyclotron" or friction electric machine. The glass plate is 16" diameter. The felt skirt did the "rubbing." The electricity generated was stored in condensers for "one-shot" release. Circa 1840 to 1900.

Atomic Antiques from 1899

By Robert Breeding

We have been guilty of stating that no matter how new an idea, development, product or service might seem to be, it has *ancestry* and, in that ancestry, reside the antiques of the subject. My "we" here is not editorial. It refers to the board of trustees of the Americana Foundation who have made it their business to help any business locate the antiques of their business. Therefore to say that the atomic products of this age must have ancestry, along with any other ideas, products and concepts, was merely a matter of form. All we needed to do, we felt sure, was to seek out evidences of bombardment of uranium with high voltage electric current as a toy, or an experiment for classroom work. We found it in objects we have noticed in antiques and junk shops, and finally found them listed as apparatus for electrical experiments in various catalogs, one of which was issued 1899 by the Midland Electric Company of Omaha, Nebraska!

You, probably, have noticed similar objects and wondered what they were. Rather than extend this text beyond what it should be: a quick-fact demonstration that atomic antiques do exist, we shall resort at once to pictures, and proper captions to tell what more needs to be told. That atomic antiques will one day be far more valuable than the small investment now required to obtain them would seem to be a foregone conclusion.



Geissler uranium glass tubes (3), two Leyden jars, or condensers, a battery and an induction coil, all of 1899.

Gather them while ye may, be it a miniature cyclotron, an induction coil, or early Geissler tubes with uranium glass bulbs. In these, the uranium atom was not split; it was merely agitated to the point of yielding green floresence, and a cascade effect, achieved by the disturbed atoms. It is indeed a good thing the uranium did not split its atoms: otherwise fifty thousand little laboratories would have gone boom!

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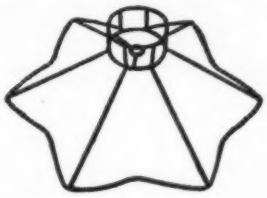

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30 or more items in Kamm's Optic Book 4, pg. 97, some with gold. (Mil. Book 2, calls it Arched Ovals); some stemware in this.

Also many items in what is commonly called **"Shoelace" pattern.** Don't find it listed but will gladly send sketch. **If you have unlisted patterns you are trying to find just send a rubbing or sketch—I'll try to be of help!**

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Books about Florida

THERE are some collectors, some dealers, and some people who are neither, but who, by inheritance, purchase, or accident have fallen heir to old volumes among which may be some books about Florida. While the giving of "values" whether gleaned from auction records, or whether the wildest appraisal, shall be strictly tabu in this essay, it is not out of order to state that Florida items, especially if illustrated, or even embellished with a map, are enhancing in value. This is not primarily because more collectors are getting Florida conscious. The secret is this: more people from the North are settling in Florida, some as year round residents. We are not referring to the tourist trade . . . but to the sound, solid citizenry that is migrating to the state, engaging in citrus fruit, dairy, sugar, beef-cattle and other basic productions, and in setting up new factories of all kinds. Among these are collectors who now seek interesting items having to do with Florida history, and Florida iconography (meaning Florida in pictures). These volumes are among those you should seek for and, if found, consider not as mere books, but as good books, worth considerably, and sometimes amazingly, more than the appearance would have you think.

Sketches, Historical & Topographical, of the Floridas and Particularly of East Florida, **by J. G. Forbes. New York, 1821. Folding Map.**

Florida, Its Climate, Soil, and Productions. **A manual . . . for Immigrants, by the publishers, with a map. Jacksonville, 1868.**

Reports of the Apalachicola Land Company, **New York, from 1837.**

Thrilling Narrative of Adventures of Miss Madelaine Everett, **abducted from Bloomingdale Ladies Seminary, Florida, rescued at Havana where she was being sold as a slave girl. Philadelphia, 1860.**

Authentic Narrative of the Seminole War. **Folding plate. Providence, R. I., 1838.**

Pathetic, Lamentable Narrative of Miss Perine, **and other adventures, in volume without title page (table of contents serves as title) Published at Philadelphia by E. C. Gill & Co., c. 1840-1841.**

Memoir, on the Floridas, by a Gentleman of the South. **Baltimore, 1821.**

Map of Florida, **large, folding, mounted on linen, issued by Fielding Lucas of Baltimore, 1829.**

Proceedings . . . of a Trial, General Court Martial, of Major William Gates. **New York, Narine, 1837.**

There are of course many other Florida items of merit, all of which should fall within the category of things worth putting to one side until one discovers their current worth. As to the most advantageous time to sell, we once heard this gem of philosophy out of Wall Street. "It is hazardous sometimes to hold out for a higher market but it is never hazardous to take a profit."

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Advertising effigies, painted signboards, and symbols of their calling marked establishments of artisans and professional men in pre-newspaper advertising days. Though life-sized milliner's effigies are known, and Gambrius, patron saint of brewers watched woodenly over an occasional tavern, it was with tobacconists that these effigies were particularly popular—as early as 1785 a carved Scotchman was offering snuff. Indian figures were favorites, the Queens rising to popularity in the 1850's. The rare squaw shown is from St. Louis, c. 1875, carved from a pine log, 5' 9" high, including the 3" burl stand. In perfect original condition, black hair, copper skin, doeskin colored dress. ($350.) From Graham's Authentic Antiques, Middletown, Missouri.

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Royal Bayreuth lobster covered bowl $9. Early brass spout lamp, copper trimmed, raised lion heads $18. Frosted Hand cake-stand, 9", $10.50. Iron door stop, Colonial lady $3.50. **Lillian Roper, 949 Mile Square Road, Yonkers, New York.** oc

Flow Blue: 9" Amoy plate $3.75; 6 sauce dishes, Clayton, Johnson Bros. $8; Scinde sugar bowl, no top $8; Touraine platter, 10½x7¼", $3.50, perfect. Amber Daisy and Button footed gypsy kettle, 3x2½", $6. Peterson, Godey fashion prints, 2 for $1.75. Slant-top cheese dish, pastel flowers, deep blue border $7. Iron still safe bank combination $3.50. Schoenhut doll, 22", blonde wig, marked, good condition, green velvet dress $24. Shipping extra, write wants, stamp. **Betty Ruth McDevitt, 1320 Dale Drive, Silver Springs, Maryland.** oc

2 Majolica plates, Begonia, each $6.50; matching cake-stand $12.50. Ice cream set, aqua and cream Majolica, lovely design, platter and 4 dishes $25. 2 Sarreguemines plates, 8", mulberry edge, black transfers, First Weaving Machine, First Telegraph, titles in French $9.50 each. 7 Thistle plates, T&V, purple flower, 9½", each $1.50; 6 matching soups, each $1.50. Rose Medallion: kidney-shaped tray, 8 x 10½", $14; cup and saucer $5.50. Pomona finger bowl $8.50. Metal frog paperweight $3.50. La Vinite ape holding candlestick, 5½", $4.50. Footed Luneville bowl, Chinese people, 3x5½", $4. Fan and Cube glass caster for 3 bottles, no bottles $7. 2-handled Cut Glass nappy, 10½", $8.50. **Corinne A. Hawthorne, 27 Andrews Street, New Britain, Connecticut.** oc

Custard Mum sugar bowl, Millard 245. Old Milk Glass, large varied stock collectors items in white, blue. Custard, Caramel and Purple Slag. Frosted fish covered dish $12.50 plus postage. Write wants. **Edith M. Delamotte, 4801 Burnham, Toledo, Ohio.** oc

Gertrude I. Stahl, 327 West St., Lansing 15, Michigan. Ruby etched King's Crown open compote, 6" tall, 5¾" opening $8. Set 5 matching bone dishes, finest china, lovely hand painted large iris $10. 2 beautiful burnished, large ball footed brass jardinieres $8 each. Beautiful silver butter dish, rack on side with butter knife, frosted pigeon blood with enamel flower lid, silver finial $12. 3 lovely hand painted dresser trays, 1 R. S. Prussia, all for $16. Lovely ornate 3-bottle caster, salt, mustard and vinegar in footed silver frame $12. Beautiful 3-piece Pinwheel pattern, ruby topped creamer, spooner and covered sugar $16. Set 6 cobalt salt dips $3.75. oc

Goblets $4 each: Princess Feather; Etched Pavonia, 2, $3; Marquisette; Leaf and Dart; Flute, flint, $2.75; Beaded Loop; Panel Finecut. Creamers: Scalloped Lines $5.50; Cottage $5; $4.50 each: Teardrop; Ball and Swirl, tall; Daisy and Button Crossbar; Cut Log, 3", $3. Spooners: Horn of Plenty $4.50; Bellflower fine rib $4. Proof condition. Transportation extra. Other pattern glass. Write wants. **Oscar Black, Ramapo Road, Pompton Plains, New Jersey.** oc

Emerald green hand lamp, patterned $10. Cranberry and clear Royal Oak covered butter dish $22.50. Cranberry and frosted Royal Ivy sugar shaker $12.50. Miniature stein, pewter lid $5. Cake-stands: 10" Plume, Clear Ribbon, each $7.50. Wines: 2 Daisy and Button with Narcissus; 2 Rainbow; 2 Diamond Sunburst; Amulet; Hawaiian Lei, each $1.50; 3 Red Top, souvenir, each $2.50. 4 hand painted Haviland plates, 9½", floral border $7.50. Sugar and creamer, roses, Germany $4.50. Blue Willow plate, 10", Ridgways $2.50. Blue Willow creamer, Maastricht $3.50. 2 plates, 11", Dresden floral, Bavaria, each $3.50. 700 post cards $5. Goblet, Carnival Glass, R. S. Prussia lists. No reproductions. Stamp please. Shipping extra. **Ruth Davidson, R. 3, Crown Point, Indiana.** oc

Beulah Sturtevant, 45 Sunset Lane, Longmeadow, Massachusetts. Tankard pitcher, wide yellow band, floral etched above 3 rows clear hexagonal blocks, beautiful $20. Sandwich Smocking sugar and creamer, rough spots on sugar top $40. Salt and peppers: yellow and clear Swag Block $7 pair; Lion's Leg, blue, perfect, yellow, rough spots on rim $3.50 each; amber English Hobnail $6 pair; Thompson 77, ruby $8 pair; clear Daisy and Cube, no tops $3 pair; urn shape early blue Milk Glass, 1 chipped on rim $8.50 pair; Columned Thumbprint $4 pair. 4-piece Majolica tea set, Bamboo pattern, teapot, sugar, creamer and hot water pitcher $25. Transportation extra. oc

For sale: private collection Frosted Flower Band, Lee's pl. 107, 47 pieces, representing 20 different items. Write for list and price, all perfect, guaranteed authentic. **Katherine Woodward, Middleburg, Virginia.** oc

Free lists: antique glass, china. **Forbes, Box 158, Newport News, Virginia.** mr

2 old flint Thistle goblets $5 each. Milk Glass roses pin dish $3.75. Mail box bank $2.50. Large Wedgwood cheese dish $50. 5 Cut Glass goblets, 3 need grinding $6.50 each. Matched brass apple butter set, polished $35. **Mrs. Maynard Snook, 3525 Smith St., Fort Wayne, Indiana.** oc

Summer shop: Ethel Loring, Harwich Centre, Massachusetts. Sandwich Beaded Mirror covered sugar $7.50. Caramel Slag: Shell oval dish on feet, 10¾x5⅝", $7.50 and spooner $5.50; Cactus small creamer $6.50; sugar bowl, cover cracked $6.50. 6 Ribbed Ivy sauce dishes $3.25 each; also covered sugar $18. 4 Hartley footed sauce dishes, Lee pl. 42, $2.75 each. 3 Ribbed Grape goblets $8.50 each. 4 Cable egg cups $7.50 each. 7" clear Hobnail plate $3.50. Willow Oak amber 9" bread plate, closed handles $7; also same, clear $5.50. Transportation extra. oc

Royal Doulton helmet creamer $5. Baccarat swirled preserve dish $5. Pair Bohemian etched ruby glass decanters $50. Copper Lustre pitcher, 4½" high, unusual green band $18. Bluish-green Fisher and Hunter calabash $8. Low footed Psyche and Cupid covered compote $8.50. Ball and Swirl footed cup $3. Beaded Grape Medallion sauce dish $2.50. Hand tooled slant-top wood box, all brass, pine lined, different scenes on each panel, crated $75. **Ye Old Curiosity Shoppe, Onancock, Va.** oc

Ribbed Ivy: sauce dish $4; goblet $6.50. 3 Old Ivory 7¾" plates, #84, each $5. Green miniature lamp, dated $9.50. Sapphire blue Mary Gregory vase, beautiful shape, sketch $15. Cranberry Inverted Thumbprint pickle caster, tongs $20. Royal Bayreuth candleholder, saucer type, yellow with pastoral band $7.50. **Beryl Rafuse, North Scituate, Massachusetts.** oc

Kerry Antique Shop, 660 East 38th Street, Indianapolis 5, Indiana. Haviland in Ransom, Silver, Princess, Apple Blossom, Aster, Belfort, American Beauty. Noritake: Marilyn, Premier. Barrock pattern in Rosenthal. Coalport salads and chop plates, Indian Tree. Bird salts. Flow Mulberry Corean. oc

California pattern C.M.S.&P. Porcelain Opaque, pink and orange flowers with cobalt blue decoration on white ground: 15—9" plates $3.50 each; 3—11½" oblong trays, impressed handles $7.50 each; 3 low pedestal compotes, 9½" diameter $7.50 each. Jones-McDuffee advertising calendar tiles, 1896, 1899, 1914, $2.50 each. 1880's scrap book, trade, holiday, embossed, Sunday School cards, etc., more than 900 items $10. Early soft paste month mug, May, appropriate verse scene, condition good, 2 fine cracks $8.50. Sapphire blue cruet, pinched sides, amber handle and blown stopper $15. Whimsey, amber bird bottle, 8⅝" high, bronze claws, carved wooden head, clear reeded handle $18.50. Vaseline toothpick holder, pl. 105, #12, Lee Vict. $7. Postage extra. **Madelene Clough, 5 Plain Street, Natick, Mass.** oc

Diamond and Chrysanthemum pressed glass two-piece punch bowl, 9x11x13", $15. 5 orange Carnival bell-shape electric globes $1.25 each. Square Shell and Tassel creamer $6.50; spooner $5. Strawberry and Fan cut cruets $4.50 each. German pale green lustre and white, yellow roses creamer and sugar $4.75. Pair 13" vases, cream porcelain, deep pink spray roses $19.50. **Ethel Gilbert, 138 Raritan Avenue, Highland Park, New Jersey.** oc

Pomona tumbler, enamel decor $11.50. Cranberry and blue, enamel decor, salt and pepper, pewter tops $9.50. Reclining cow pitcher, Delft type $11.50. Diamond Point honey $2.75. Eagle handled trivet $6.50. Early flint sugar, blown, dome cover, scalloped base $15. Large German Bisque doll $15. Collection of perfumes, write. **Mrs. Grace Houseman, Wayland, Michigan.** oc

Cosmos miniature lamp $25. Pair 7" Nursery Rhyme plates, Royal Doulton $9.50. Sapphire blue Hobnail pitcher, matching round tray $26.50 both. Small compote, Indian Tree, Cauldon, England $5.50. 4 pink Coin Spot tumblers, Inverted Thumbprint $20. Pink Lustre cup and saucer, girl with harp $9.50. Rhine wine, etched on base "Mrs. Wayland Smith" $7.50. Mother-of-pearl vase, 2 handles $40, white to yellow. Amber caster set in amber glass holder, 4 bottles $29.50, a beauty. Amber tray with salt, pepper and vinegar, deep $25, maybe Block and Star. Lots of handsome hand painted china. **Hilda S. Radis, 929 Elm St., New Haven, Connecticut.** oc

Vaseline water pitchers: Basket Weave $8.50; Dahlia $12; Wildflower $14. Transportation extra. Large collection vaseline glass, send for list. Stamps please. **Jensen's Antiques, 199 E. Brook Road, Pittsford, New York.** oc

Blue windmill cereal set, complete, including salt box and coffee grinder $20. Palmette open sugar $2.50. Opalescent vaseline Basket Weave lattice edge dish $3.50. Salesman's sample clothes wringer $3.50. 5 pieces Kaiserzinn pewter, write. Gillinder Centennial camphor glass shoe, slight edge roughness base $2.50. Glow Light miniature lamp, Milk Glass chimney $4.50. Lot of old tin for stenciling, write. Collectors items my specialty, please write wants. Transportation extra. **Sunhill Antiques, P.O. Box 26, Unionville, N. Y.** oc

Grace M. Tospon, Harmon-on-Hudson, New York. Rare old cranberry cruets. Signed Galle vase, 13" tall. Choicest Cut Glass, some Hawkes. Amberina footed Swirl tumblers, signed Depose Baccarat. China picture frame. Set 4 gas shades, 5" tall bell-shape Tiffany or Aurene, unsigned, 5" base. Collection rare toothpick holders. Large selection colored glass. Stueben, signed Aurene, night water set, red, gold, green tints, rare. 12 signed Tiffany Favrille goblets. Exquisite Amberina Diamond Quilted pitcher, reversed coloring, rare. Tumblers, Agata, Burmese, Peachblow, Pomona. Jewel boxes, hinged Wavecrest. Cruets, sugar shakers, cracker, tobacco jars. Fine china fish set, chocolate set. Royal Bayreuth creamers. Colored gas shades. Hand painted china dresser items. Write wants. oc

For sale: in perfect condition. 5 ruby Thumbprint cups and saucers $13 each or 5 for $60. Postage and insurance extra. Write: **Mary M. B. Pierce, 101 Chestnut Hill Road, Chestnut Hill 67, Mass.** oc

Braeburn View, Colgate, Wisconsin. Stamp for requests. Square Shell and Tassel pitcher, rare $25. Hand jam jar $9. Bleeding Heart relish $4. Loop and Jewel butter $6. Shaving mug $12.50. Goblets: Beaded Acorn $5; Circle and Dot $7.50; Barley $4. oc

Charonne pattern marked Haviland Co., each: 4 cups and saucers $5; 4 dinners $3.25, proof. Ransom white, Haviland Co., No. 21709, each: 7 dinners $3.25; covered tureen $6.50; 11 luncheon plates $2.25, proof. Staffordshire Moss Rose Forget-me-not china, each: 6 cups and saucers $5; 6 tea plates $4; cake plate $5, proof. Noritake Azalea, each: 7½" plate $1.50; 13 cups and saucers $3.50; 5—10" dinners $4, proof. Flow Blue Gironde pattern, Grindley, write, proof. Noritake Gleneden pattern china, 91 pieces $50 write. 4 matched pieces of Peacock Fountain, N. write. 2 covered tureens for planters $3.50 each, 1 Asiatic Pheasant. 3 Cube Fan goblets $4 each; vase, same $1.75, all proof. **Lillian Hague, 165 Prospect St., Sherrill, New York.** oc

Buckeye Antiques, 509 Newark Road, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. Lion sugar and creamer $18.50. Banded Star 6" covered compote $7.25. Sugar, creamer, spooner and butter, etched Vintage pattern $8.50 set. 6" lace edge Milk Glass plate $6. Amethyst berry bowl and 5 sauces, very fine $18.50. 12-tune music box, write. Crystal Hobnail pitcher $12. Stereopticon and 100 cards $4.50. All metal pocket flask $3. Blue Swirl pitcher $15. Owl beside stump match holder $3.50. Grooved Indian axes and celts and hammers, write. Also have Tea Leaf pattern, write. oc

3 Buckle goblets, each $2.50. Garfield Memorial plate $4. Teddy Roosevelt plate $4. Cable bowl $3. Double Ribbon Frosted pickle caster, usual roughness $8. Hand painted covered, footed dresser dish, matching tall vase $3.75. Inlaid Rosewood work box $4. Footed Virginia sauce $1.65. **Edna Krause, Dell Rapids, So. Dakota.** oc

Water carrier and slop jar exactly as pictured on page 14 in August Spinning Wheel, slop jar has the original decoration but the water carrier has been redecorated, both in perfect condition, price for both $45. Butter print, half-pound size, flower design $2.50. **Mary Ellen West, Antiques, Franktown, Virginia.** oc

Clearance sale. Silver fruit knives, 6 for $3. 5-bottle caster set, silver frame, 1 bottle not matching $11. Assorted glass toothpick holders $1.25. 4 Cut Log wines $9. Silver cow top butter dish $8. Creamers $4 each: Roman Rosette; Three Panel; Beaded Tulip. 10-piece china condiment set $8.50. 6 bone dishes $3.25. Large Onion cereal jar $2. 5-candle mold $3. Mustache cup $2.50. 5 Onion pattern spice jars, covers for $9. 4 old pieced quilt tops, never used $3 each. Old post cards and advertising cards 1¢ each, have hundreds. Free lists. **Ida Suval, 11 Curtis St., Gloversville, New York.** oc

Cobalt blue glass hinged jewel box, 3 brass feet, white and gold beaded decoration, large, 5", $18.50. Brass tray, 17x9¼", handles, polished and lacquered $8.50. Framed Thomas Stevens, woven in silk, horses, The Finish $8.50. Milk Glass cake-stand $6.50. Flow Blue scenic 9" plates, 8, marked Oriental $3.50 each. Vaseline Inverted Thumbprint syrup pitcher, pewter lid, dated $9. Parian vase, 3 cornucopia-shaped vases clustered together $8.50. High open fruit compotes: Dakota, 1 etched, 1 plain $8 each; King's Crown, flared top $9.50; Paneled Forget-me-not $7.50; Feather $6; Torpedo $6. Jumbo cup and saucer, gold band $4.50. Write wants. Postage extra. **Smith's Antiques, Box 278, Mt. Union, Pennsylvania.** oc

Caramel Slag Cactus covered butter dish $15. Milk Glass: 3-cornered S plate $5.50; 2 black S border, each $4.50. Fine Minton oyster plate, rose with blue center $6. Egg cups: Waffle and Thumbprint; 2 Bellflower, each $4.50. Calendar plate, 1911, $2.75. Majolica brown and green teapot $12.50. Extra nice crazy quilt $12. Ironstone Sydenham bowl, 13½", $7.50. Flow Blue: Scinde platter, 11", small chip $7.50; Coberg platter, 14", $12; teapot, covered sugar and creamer, set $40. **Ruth L. Eaton, 117 Maple Street, Malden 48, Massachusetts.** oc

Blue Three Panel footed compote $15. 6 Daisy and Button blue butter pats $3.50 each. Pair walnut deep picture frames, 13½x11½", $8. Blue Daisy and Button Panel compote on standard $22.50. Pink Satin Glass fluted vase, 7½" high $20. Cake plate, pink roses, open handles $6.75. Pair of green overlay vases with handles $16.50. Inkwell, iron wheelbarrel with white Milk Glass center $7. Pine dough box, refinished $40. **Nellie Elmendorf, 72 O'Neil St., Kingston, New York.** oc

Lovely ruby glass basket, clear applied twig handle and feet, top crimped $15. Blue opalescent Daisy and Fern rose bowl $10. Large Pomona tumbler, blue band $10.50. 3 single vine Bellflower egg cups, 1 tiny flake $4.50 each. Pair Bennington Parian 6" vases, bust of General Lee in medallion, tip of small grape leaf broken $12.50 pair. 5 Beaded Dewdrop custard cups, each $2.50. Frosted Glass Maple Leaf footed oval dish $10; matching Maple Leaf platter $10. Royal Doulton Dickensware Bill Sykes pitcher $10.50. Rich blue Four Petal finger bowl, matching plate $8.50. Green Wedgwood. Transportation extra. **Mrs. Charles Dill, 55 Mount Vernon Place, Asheville, North Carolina.** oc

Deep cut brilliant Cut Glass vinegar cruet, water carafe, $6.75 each. Very fine china chocolate set, lovely shape, pink rosebuds, pot, 4 cups, saucers $10.50 set. 2 Anthony Shaw Lustre Tea Leaf platters, 16", $8.50; 14½", $7.50. 2 straight razors, carved ivory handle $2.50; bone handle $1.50. **Katherine Conaway, 234 Dorn Avenue, Bound Brook, New Jersey.** oc

Rose Etter, 14 Crescent Drive, Easton, Connecticut. 7" Cameo glass vase, shepherd leading flock down hill, design in black on orange, blue and black background, signed Legras $20. 6 footed etched glass salts, set $4. Cobalt blue barrel salt $4. Amber Basket Weave mug $4.50. Royal Bayreuth green trinket box, Little Bo Peep $6.50. Candle snuffer and tray $5. 8½" Majolica plate, gray lobster in center with border of vegetables marked Wedgwood $7.50. Chocolate pot, creamer, covered sugar and 4 cups and saucers, colorful roses on green and cream background, marked Imperial China Austria, set $28.50. Stamp for list. oc

For sale: Limoges hand painted oval fish platter, 17½x11", gold rims, signed and 12—9" plates, perfect $75. Pickle caster, silver holder, dog on lid, tongs $15. Sugar and creamer, Favorite, Bavaria, hand painted, gold trim, sugar repaired $5 pair. **Jim's Electric Shop, Paola, Kansas.** oc

Imari: 2 bowls, ridged sides, 1, 8½", other 9½", also 1, 8½" plate, same pattern, vase of flowers in center, old and perfect $20 for all. Copper Lustre Tea Leaf: 10" plates $3.25 each, other sizes; cups and saucers $10 each: butter; sauces; sugar; covered vegetable dishes: rare bone dishes. **The "Wee" Antique Shop, Rising Sun, Md.** oc

1. Daguerreotypes, hard rubber, round, 2¾x2¼", $4.50; square, 4¾x4", $6; frame, gold liner, 6½x5½", $7, all have raised flower decoration and perfect. 2. Tea Leaf Lustre: 9½" square bowl $6; 7 saucers $1.50 each; 2—9¾" plates $3.50 each, all Wedgwood; 4 round butter pats $1.50 each; 2—9¾" plates $3; 2 square sauces $1.75 each, Meakin. 3. 7 clear Strawberry salts $2 each; 4 Lacy Daisy $1.50 each; 1 Star and Dewdrop master salt. Write wants in pattern glass, banks, calendar plates, farm bells, etc. **Alice M. Bohn, Florida Village, Route 2, Hwy. U.S. 24, Napoleon, Ohio.** oc

Small collection dolls. Several clocks. Milk Glass barber bottles, exquisite cupid decoration $12, others. Amberina celery, spooner, syrup, wine cruet, sauce. Lovely powder box, blue forget-me-nots $6. Emerald green set, cruet, shakers, tray, gold trim, beautiful $35. Elk's Head plate, 9⅝", lovely coloring $6. Exquisite signed Kauffman hinged patch box $12.50. Write any needs. Carriage extra. Stamp please. **Mrs. Russell Ingram, Olive Hill, Ky.** oc

Mrs. D. O. Brooks, 1109 Stanfield St., South Bend, Indiana. Sawtooth covered oval dish, Lion knob and handles, Lee pl. 41, $6. Milk Glass American hen, 6", Lee pl. 181, has expert repair on base $4.50. Giant Bull's Eye large basket $4. Vaseline Daisy and Button with Thumbprint square berry bowl $6. Jewel with Dewdrop open compote and 4 sauces $8. Dewdrop with Star 7" plate $4.50. Wheat with Barley creamer, spooner, covered sugar $10. Roman Key 4-legged pickle dish $2. Pointed Hobnail pickle dish $2.50. 7" Milk Glass Balky Mule plate $4. 15" copper tray, brass handles $7. 1 Bisque pin tray, blue mostly, saucy kitten $4. Cheese dish, hand painted, Noritake $4. Cupid and Venus water pitcher, squirrel decor, flat chip near rim $14. Apollo spooner $1.50. 3-legged hammered brass jardiniere, 13", $5. Brown and white soap dish $1.50. Bavarian cracker jar, women figures, blue, white, expert repair on handle $5. Wedgwood Trellis pattern, odd pieces, write. **Want:** 7" Milk Glass base for hen. Transportation extra. oc

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Goblets: New England Pineapple $7.50; Horn of Plenty $13.50; Bellflower $7.50; Princess Feather $5.50. Brilliant blue 9¼" square, footed Daisy cake-stand $18.50. Purple Cut Glass 8" bowl, flake chip $21.50. Cranberry 5" bowl, 8 clear applied feet, berry pontil $17.50. **Evelyn R. Roberts, Fairmount Avenue, Chatham Township, New Jersey.** oc

Crawford's, Hwy. 78, Potts Camp, Miss. Loop and Fan covered compote, 9½" high, 7½" diameter $4.50. Spooners: Loop with Dewdrops; Hobnail, Lee 82; Art; Frosted Blocks, each $2. Bethlehem Star covered butter $3.25. 2-handled spooner, 1 chip $1.50. Miniature clear lamp base, Handy $1.50. Strawberry toothpick $1.25. Atomizer, 4½", complete, silver top, like Cut Glass $3.50. 4 beautiful Cut Glass flat sauces, 3, 5", Cane pattern, small chip on 1, set $10. Ruby top pieces, tankard style creamer, 5½", Sunken Honeycomb $4; creamer, 2½", souvenir $2.50; King's Crown creamer 3", $3.25; tumbler, Nina, 1906, Button Arches $3. Beautiful walnut hall tree, 85" high, 8 pegs, 1 drawer, 16 x 11½", marble top, oval mirror, iron trays for umbrellas, all original, perfect condition, refinished and crated $48. Compote covers, each $1.50: Star Rosette, 5½"; Paneled Heather, 4½" and 7"; Strawberry, 6"; Cane, 5"; Rosette, 6"; Cable 5"; Paneled Forget-me-not, 5½"; Anthemion 6"; Wheat and Barley 5½"; Dahlia, 4½" square. Sufficient parcel post must accompany checks. oc

The Gay Victorian in the Log House, Troy, Missouri. Bleeding Heart cake-stand $9. Lily of the Valley pickle dish $4. 20 lovely bone dishes, each $2. Pair 9" cobalt lamp bases $23.50. Fringed tablecloths, napkins, towels, pewter, brass, copper. Authentic. Carriage extra. oc

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★ DOLLS, TOYS

For sale: my collection of old dolls. Send 10¢ for list. **Mrs. Walter White, Morganton, North Carolina.** dc

How Others Use Their Antiques

A Variety Grouping Lends Charm To Decorating Theme

MRS. WILLIAM OWENS of Bedford, Penna., had a grandmother who just couldn't resist a country sale, bewitched as she was by odd shaped bottles and dainty china. To her granddaughter she passed on the enchantment of seeking and finding. Mrs. Owens, a recent bride, was fortunate in finding a husband who also likes antiques, although she admits that was not one of her original requirements.

"We buy most of our pieces in the rough," she writes, "and spend hours refinishing them. We have kept one goal in mind—we want our house to say, 'Come in, and make yourselves at home.'" Everything in the picture above, the Owens collected and refinished themselves. The shadow box, which once held portraits of great grandparents, is interestingly wired by Mr. Owens. Two small lights concealed at the top serve as night lights, and a fluorescent tube runs the length of the bottom of the frame. The drawer of the pine coffee grinder spills over with pink and yellow rosebuds. "Even though our collection is very, very young," Mrs. Owens comments, "we feel we have furnished our apartment so that it truly reflects the way we enjoy to live. Decorating with antiques is a real challenge, but with them, I feel I could turn any house, anywhere, into a home." Somehow we feel Mrs. Owens could do just that . . . and we envy her the years ahead as with her innate good taste, and enthusiasm, she moves on into the larger houses that will come her way—and we expect most of the pieces in the attractive grouping shown will move right along with her.

For doll's wigs, crepe hair, 40¢ a foot; mohair 75¢ a foot. All colors. The Make-up Box, 216 Tremont St., Boston 16, Massachusetts. oc

Antique dolls. Reducing my collection. Write for list, stamps please. Hannah Squire, Bruceville, Indiana. oc

Old games for sale: Crandall, McLoughlin Bros., Milton Bradley, etc. Send for list. **F. L. Ball, 45 Fresh Pond Lane, Cambridge 38, Massachusetts.** nv

Collector selling duplicates: Bisque, china, wax. Will trade collectors. **Gertrude McWilliams, 9200 Longbranch Pkwy., Silver Spring, Maryland.** nv

Snoe box crammed full of antique materials, lace, jet, ribbon, beads, etc., for dressing your antique dolls, only $2 postpaid. **X-tra Nice Antiques, 957 Farmington Ave., West Hartford, Connecticut.** mr

★ FIREARMS, BANKS

Antique guns, Kentucky rifles, swords, pistols, Indian relics. Stamped envelope for list. **Clarence Haushauer, R. D. 2, Sinking Springs, Pennsylvania.** oc

★ FURNITURE

Captain's chair $20. Cobbler bench $28. Nicely made walnut corner cupboard $69. Dough tray $35. Carousel horse. Child's table. Cherry wash stand $25. Dealers: huge lot furniture averaging $12 each, dough trays, corner cupboards, chests, desks, tables, chairs, sofa, commodes, details 20¢. Stamp please. **E. Laughner, Vanadium Row, Latrobe, Pennsylvania.** oc

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Mabelle Hendleman, 1116 N. Pennsylvania, Indianapolis, Indiana. Single brass student lamp, wired, original shade $50. 24" Gone-with-the-wind lamp, original shade, beautiful colors, brass burnished, wired. Lamp, French porcelain lady, trimmed in garlands, shaded red roses, wired, lovely. Old Milk Glass lamp $30. Haviland service for 12, 76 pieces $150. Details furnished. Shipping extra. oc

Cranberry Hobnail 14" hanging lamp, brass font $69. Cranberry Hobnail 7" diameter cylinder type hall lamp $44. Jeweler's scale by Becker Bros., N. Y., 1890, $75. Family album, gold plush with fine beveled mirrors, drawer in bottom, old photos $8.50. **Holbrooks Antiques, Bedford St., Abington, Massachusetts.** oc

★ MISCELLANEOUS

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Wanted: Ridgway Dado pattern brown and white plates, cups, saucers. **Eva Gruening, 1621—12th, Des Moines, Iowa.** nv

Want: Three Panel amber, dark, no compotes. Double Spear, anything except water pitcher. **Box 6, New Lebanon Center, New York.** fb

Wanted: Caramel Slag, rare and unusual pieces. **R. A. Bess, Warren, Indiana.** jr

Old Surveyor's Chain. Rockingham Raspberry china. **Mrs. Warren J. Root, 690 Grayton Road, Berea, Ohio.** nv

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Would like 3 Spanish Lace blue tumblers to complete set. **Mrs. Pearl DeBrine, 1024 Shoemaker Rd., Webster, New York.** oc

Private collector wants old colored glass shoes. Also blue Sheaf of Wheat plate, amethyst Liberty Head shield, green Old State House tray. **Eunice Anderson, 770 Prospect Ave., Oakland, California.** dc

Wanted: Haviland No. 34, Blank 1, Schneiger's Book 1; also egg-shaped Satin Glass sugar shaker, pewter top. Price with description please. **Mrs. Frank Bane, 604 S. Samuel St., Charlestown, W. Va.** oc

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Antique gun collections wanted. No collection too large. Immediate cash. **Gil Hebard, Knoxville, Illinois.** fb55

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Wanted: any type antique weapons, especially U. S. muskets, rifles and carbines. Describe fully. **Walter Craig, 413 Lauderdale St., Selma, Alabama.** jr

Powder flasks, Colt pistols, Flint pistols, etc. **George Cummings, Dover, N. J.** mr

★ FURNITURE

Wanted: Antique Gothic chests and other furniture. Give lowest price and photo. **Gerrit VanderKamp, 921 Wealthy, S.E. Grand Rapids, Michigan.** nv

★ LAMPS, JUGS, BOTTLES

Wanted: iron Phoebe lamp and iron Betty lamp. Reasonable. **Mrs. C. D. Crawford, Cotuit, Massachusetts.** dc

Wanted: old auto lamps, all brass only. Give price and condition. **W. M. Parker, Box 31, Willow Grove, Pennsylvania.** jr

★ MISCELLANEOUS

Wooden Indian crossbows, blunderbusses, armor, Indian prints, large showy wood carvings, flintlocks, rifles, history books on Florida, cannons and anchors, bells. **Box 4305, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.** oc

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Wanted: old mechanical cigar cutters, plug cutters, old cigar lighters, cigarette cards, etc. **R. S. Jones, 26 Hamilton Place, Garden City, New York.** oc

Wanted: old view and greeting cards for resale. Also old fashioned dresses, no black or wool. Laces, velvets, braids, corsets, beaded dresses before 1925. **Wolek, 26 Fennway, West Hartford, Conn.** oc

Wanted: Bowie or old hunting knives. Pigeon baskets. Pigeon nets. Price. **R. Vail, Warwick, New York.** oc

Unusual ivories, bronzes, woodcarvings. **Ben Weisinger, 249 Marcy Ave., Brooklyn, New York.** jr

Wanted: Authentic antiques for resale. **Fred's Antiques, 3534 N.E. 82nd Ave., Portland 20, Oregon.** jl

Scrapbooks, paper dolls, valentines, all kinds of colorful paper material. **Hazel Swayze, Pomfret Center, Connecticut.** oc

Wanted: big old bear trap. **Guy Saulsbury, Spicer, Minnesota.** oc

Old watch chains, gold slides. Glass: Dewey or Flower Flange; Bearded Man butter dish; Clear Wildflower; Rosette and Palm. Cut Glass star cut goblets and wines, star has 8 points and 5 rays. Toy steam engine. Iron fishing boy with leg crossed. Large porcelain barrel container with spigot. Full description and price first letter, must be perfect, priced for resale. **Pearl Reilly, 419 North 9th, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.** nv

Pickers: will pay you cash the year round for your surplus buys in glass, china, miscellaneous, etc. **Auction Buyer, 57½ Glen Eyrie, San Jose 25, California.** dc

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Wanted: hand painted door knobs, must be old. State price, to be resold. **Elsie Hicks, 2920 Milan, Houston, Texas.** mr

Old auto lights, horns, books, old cars, etc. **D. D. Way, P. O. Box 372, San Mateo, California.** dc

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Wanted: old embroidered centerpieces, piano covers, etc., with colored roses, poppies, strawberries, cherries, etc. Condition of material doesn't matter, will take solid white embroidery too. **Geneva Archibald Antique Shop, 1044 Bardstown Road, Louisville, Kentucky.** dc

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Old post cards: prior to 1920. Pay average $2 to $3 per 500 or ratio. **Lyon Hobby Mart, Box 63, Hartford, Connecticut.** nv

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Wanted: cigarette, tobacco, candy cards, loose or in album. **Charles Bray, East Bangor, Pennsylvania.** oc

Railroad timetables wanted: old annual railroad passes, histories and related railroad material bought. Also Great Lakes travel folders and automobile catalogs before 1940. **W. Davies, 1214 North La-Salle Street, Chicago 10, Illinois.** dc

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Currier and Ives and other early American lithographs. **Jacques Schurre, 213 Maple Avenue, Falls Church, Virginia.** fb

Wanted: Cigarette, tobacco, candy cards, loose or in album. **Charles Bray, East Bangor, Pennsylvania.** fb

Stereoscopic views wanted. **Arthur West, Commerce, Texas.** nv

Wanted: yard long pictures, especially kittens. **Dale Miller, 1626 Elm Street, Rockford, Illinois.** oc

★ SILVER, PEWTER, TOLEWARE

Collector wants: Old pewter of all kinds including mugs, tankards. Primitive paintings. **Oliver Deming, Westfield, Mass.** dc

Souvenir spoons, want to buy, sell or trade. **Albert H. Oechsle, Dept. W. 2, Jefferson City, Missouri.** nv

Coin silver, marked Detroit, submit makers' names and marks of other pieces. **The Oaks, 712 Morley Court, Dearborn, Michigan.** fb

Wanted: Early American Coin Silver coffee pot and sugar by N. J. Bogert of New York. **Edwin H. Buford, 1018 Grant Street, Decatur, Alabama.** oc

Memo from Marcia

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FRIENDS OF OLD PINE STREET: This year the annual meeting of The Questers National Council will be held, October 29, at the Old Pine Street Church in Philadelphia. This, the only Presbyterian edifice in Philadelphia preserved from the Colonial period, is gradually being restored to its original 1768 look, under the auspices of the Friends of Old Pine Street, an organization incorporated with Dr. Alexander Mackie as President of the Trustees, for just this purpose. Here the Rev. George Duffield, Chaplain of the Continental Congress, so feared by the British that a price was put upon his head, served as the first minister. John Adams, 2nd President of the U. S. was a faithful communicant and wrote frequently in his diary of "Duffield's Meeting." Regular worship services are still held every Sunday at 11, (the Rev. Clarence Shannon Long is minister) and visitors are welcomed. The thirty-two Quester chapters represented at their meeting will be guided through the building, served tea in the Parish House, and after their business meeting, will hear a talk on—did you guess it? The Old Pine Street Church.

PLEASE REREAD IT: If by chance you skipped over *How Much an Antique is Worth* (June '54) please hunt up your old copy and read it again. Keep a copy handy for friends who come to you for advice . . . and *never* think it is exaggerated! Recently a magazine put out by one of the big drug companies published an article on dolls—Mrs. Carl A. Johnson of Bellingham, Washington, sent us a copy. The piece was well written and beautifully illustrated—but it described a 28" Simon and Halbig, with movable eyes and pierced ears, made in the latter part of the 19th century, as having a "probable value of $500!" Alas, poor doll collectors who must face the "lucky" lady who read about it in a magazine and found a doll just like it in her attic!

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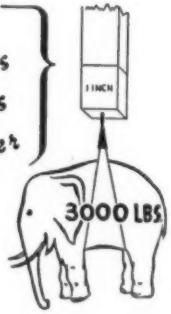

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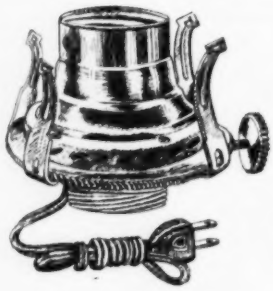

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